January 31, 2008

Representative Brenda Clack PO Box 30014 Lansing, MI 48909

Dear Representative Clack:

Thank you for introducing HB 5322. We believe this legislation, coupled with HB 5171 introduced by Rep. Meadows, will provide parents and young women with important information regarding the human papillomavirus. Michigan Family Forum appreciates your efforts to educate families about this infection and the vaccination to prevent it.

While Michigan Family Forum opposed earlier versions of this legislation which required children to be vaccinated as a condition of enrollment in school, we are pleased to add our support to the bills as introduced. We also support Senate Bills 415 & 416 as passed by the Senate in May. We look forward to working with you and we will let our supporters know of your efforts on this legislation.

Sincerely,

Dan Jarvis

Research and Policy Director